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The Honorable Jocelyn G. Boyd Clerk SC Public Service Commission P.O. Drawer 11649 Columbia, SC 29211

RE: Application of Applewood Communications Corporation

To Provide Resold Interexchange Telecommunications Services

Throughout the State of South Carolina and for Alternative Regulation

Docket No. 2011-318-C, ELS File #1340-11441

Dear Ms. Boyd:

Enclosed for filing are the Affidavits of Publication received from The State-Record Co, Inc. and The Greenville News in the above-referenced docket.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

s/ Carol RoofCarol RoofParalegal

Attachments

cc: C. Lessie Hammonds, Esq. (via electronic mail service)

Mr. Courtlandt G. Miller (via electronic mail service)

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DOCKET NO.
2011-318-C
Application of Applewood
Communications Corporation for a Certificate of
Public Convenience and
Necessity to Provide
Resold Interexchange
Telecommunications Services throughout the
State of South Carolina
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munications services of South OFP Carolina. The Applicant requests that its interexchange services be sub-ject to alternative regula-tion, pursuant to S.C.

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vices, including outbound 1+ dialing, inbound 800/888 toll-free, VolP, travel card and prepaid calling card services throughout the State of South Carolina. A copy of the Company's application can be found on the Commission's website at www.psc.sc.gov under

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE
that a hearing on the
above matter has been
scheduled to begin on on this day
Monday. November 28.
2011. at 10:00 a.m.,
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tions Corporation ("Applicant") has filed an Applicant") has filed an Application with the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("Commission") for approval of Personally appeared before me, Emily Fernandez, Project & Support Superviso a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity pursuant to S.C.

Code Ann. Section §58-9-280 to provide resoid lotice of Filing and Hearing — Docket 2011-318-C — Applewood Communications munications services of the section of Section Services of The State of Filing and Hearing — Docket 2011-318-C — Applewood Communications Emily Fernandez, Project & Support Supervisor

ject to alternative regulation, pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. § 58-9-585 (Supp. 2010), as was first granted by the Commission in Order Nos. 1995-1734 and 1996-55 issued in Docket No. was inserted in THE STATE, a daily newspaper of general circulation published in 1995-661-C, as modified by the Commission in he City of Columbia, State and County aforesaid, in the issue(s) of Order No. 2001-997 in Docket No. 2000-407-C. In addition, the Applicant Intends to provide August 20, 2011 south of the communications services, including outbound. Office of Regulatory Staff at 1401 Main Street, Suite 900, Columbia, South Carolina 29201; and the Company's representative at the above address, on or before September 29, 2011, and indicate the amount of time required to address the Commission. Please refer to Docket No. 2011-318-C. Any person who wishes

Comily Hermandy website at www.psc.sc.gov\_under Docket No. 2011-318-C. Additionally, a copy of the application is available from the Company's representative John J. Pringle, Jr., Esquire, Ellis, Lawhorne & Sims, Subscribed and sworn to before me 2285, Columbia, South Carolina 29202. PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that a hearing on the

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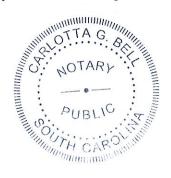
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